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This is a decision on the renewed petition under 37 CFR 1.137(a), filed July 3, 2002, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **granted**.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to reply in a timely manner to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application (Notice) mailed August 21, 2000. The Notice set a period for reply of two (2) months from the mail date of the Notice. No extensions of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) were obtained. Accordingly, the above-identified application became abandoned on October 22, 2000. A Notice of Abandonment was mailed on February 11, 2002.

Petitioner has met the requirements to revive the above-identified application pursuant to 37 CFR 1.137(a).

The file is now being forwarded to the Office of Initial Patent Examination for further processing.

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